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BY ECF

Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

**Re: *United States v. Allison Mack,*
 S2 18 Cr. 204 (NGG)**

Dear Judge Garaufis:

We write respectfully on behalf of Ms. Mack, and with the consent of the government, to request a thirty-day continuance of the trial date. The reason for the requested continuance is that Ms. Mack actively is engaged in negotiations with the government regarding a potential pretrial resolution of her case, and the additional time will allow the parties to conclude those negotiations without prejudicing their ability to prepare for trial.

If the Court is inclined to grant the requested relief, Ms. Mack further requests that her pending motion to sever and for related relief be held in abeyance with respect to her case pending

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the conclusion of those negotiations. The parties promptly will inform the Court if there are any changes.

As always, the undersigned appreciate the Court's consideration and are available to answer any questions.

Respectfully yours,

/s/

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